

JUST GLEANINGS

RCAP NEEDS SERVICE POLICE

There is an opening in the Royal Canadian Air Force for men of good physique, 5 feet ten inches or over, as Service Police.

Minimum age for this trade is 30 years, but if an applicant has had previous police experience, a minimum of 27 years will accept.

Applicants can be offered immediate enlistment. They should apply to The Commanding Officer, No. 2 Recruiting Centre, Calgary.

ONLY SIX PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

By order-in-council the federal government declared only six statutory holidays should be observed by employers and employees for the duration of the war, apart from Sundays or weekly days of rest apart from Sundays. The government order set forth the following as statutory holidays:

New Year's Day, Good Friday, the first Monday in July (in lieu of July 1), Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day.

BOOST BEEF PRICES IN STAGES

OTTAWA—Wholesale prices of beef will be increased in six stages in the period between October 13 and next June, the Wartime Prices and Trade Board announced today.

The Board announced last week that the maximum wholesale price of beef and veal for the period for the increase of \$1.50 applied. Thereafter there will be further increases of 50 cents per hundredweight, effective on the following dates: Dec. 24, Feb. 11, March 22 and April 20. The final increase of 50 cents will go into effect May 27.

WEST IS THANKED FOR SCRAP METAL SENT TO DATE

Western scrap metals, recently collected, will prevent many an Eastern war plant from being throttled in production, says Harold P. Coplan, president of Hull Steel Foundries Limited, who has written "Warrior Salvage Ltd., at Ottawa, that the West merits the thanks of all Canada for its invaluable contribution to beating the Axis. Mr. Coplan's letter says:

"Thousands of tons of steel scrap which you have allowed to Hull Steel Foundries now have reached our plant and insure full-time operation of our foundry during the entire winter season."

"I understand that this scrap was collected in a drive which your corporation staged recently throughout the Prairie Provinces. I feel I cannot allow the occasion to pass without extending to our fellow-Canadians in the West the sincere congratulations of Hull Steel Foundries upon the magnificent response they have given to your appeal for material so essential to maintaining the flow of 'copper' to our boys and our allies."

Jean Heath and Betty Woods held a farewell party at the former's home on Friday evening in honor of Kenny Leitch, who has left to reside with his parents at Powell River, B.C. Edith Gobel won the contest and Kenny was presented with a scarf and a pair of money.

STORE-WIDE THRIFT EVENT FALL AND WINTER NEEDS

STRIPED FLANNELLETTE, per yard 25c
LADIES' PARKAS, each \$1.00
COMFORTER BATTIS, each 59c
COTTON TEA TOWELS, each 15c
BOYS HEAVY SHIRTS, each \$1.00
BOYS PULLOVER SWEATERS 96c
WINTER WEIGHT CAPS 89c

WATCH FOR OUR CIRCULAR THIS WEEK

YOU'LL DO BETTER AT THE FARMERS' EXCHANGE RED AND WHITE STORE

The man who tries to dodge his obligations usually finds the detour much rougher than the road.

Our 12th Annual **REXALL ONE CENT SALE** OCTOBER 14-15-16-17

We Could Not Buy All the Stock We Wanted, Nor Did We Receive All We Ordered

Come Early and Do Not be Disappointed

If you did not receive a circular of the outstanding values from Your Postmaster, ask us for one.

Don't forget to bring your empty tubes when dealing to purchase Shave Cream and Tooth Paste

McKIBBIN'S DRUG STORE

A.P. McKibbin, Ph.D., Prescription Specialist, CARBON, ALTA.

GETS 54 BUSHELS OF WHEAT PER ACRE OFF 100-ACRE FIELD

J. B. Currie Has Fine Crop of Spring Wheat

Yields in the Carbon district this year have been varying from 25 bushels to the acre up, with many fields going around 40 bushels to the acre for wheat. John Currie completed the threshing of 100 acres of wheat last week and reports a yield of 54 bushels to the acre, with the wheat averaging 64 lbs. to the bushel, grading No. 2.

The great difficulty this year is in finding storage space for the large crop.

Fine weather the past ten days has seen much of the harvesting completed, especially on the home places, and given another two weeks of fine weather. The farmers' fields are being well threshed, except in the odd instance where owners are waiting for the elevator to thresh their crop. Wheat is now being stored in the elevators and many have had their first quota of seven bushels to the acre.

The wheat is grading from two to four northern, depending on the lateness of the cutting.

PARCELS TO BOYS OVERSEAS SHOULD BE SENT BY NOV. 10

This Allows Time For Delivery By Christmas

Santa Claus must get off on an early start if the Armed Forces overseas are to get their Christmas boxes on time. Though that holiday seems far in the distance, TODAY is not too soon to start Christmas overseas mailings. The Postmaster General advises that gifts should be sent now and during October—the earlier the better—to ensure timely delivery. November 10th is the very latest date that parcels may be mailed if they are expected to arrive in time for Christmas. Parents, however, are urged not to defer mailing until the very last day, but to mail early and prevent congestion.

To further facilitate the problem of providing adequate shipping space for the Christmas mails to the Forces, it is suggested that although the minimum weight of a parcel at reduced rate is set at eleven pounds, senders should voluntarily cut down as far as possible on size and weight of their Christmas packages. If they do so they will help make more accommodations available for other parcels on the same ship, and give the Post Office the chance to make deliveries in time.

Greater care than ever before is necessary on the part of mailers, in

SIXTEEN DEGREES OF FROST

The second heavy frost of the season occurred last Monday night, when 16 degrees were reported by local thermometers. Nearly one-half an inch of ice reported on water reported on the ground, and as a result of the heavy frost threshing of grain was held up until almost noon on Tuesday before the grain was dry.

EMPLOYEE OF GOVT FINED IN CARBON POLICE COURT MON.

Refused To Stand While Playing "God Save King"

Pleading guilty to a charge of making statements likely to cause dissatisfaction to the King, Herbert A. Morrison, 35, an employee of the provincial government at Inglewood, was fined \$75 or three months in jail when he appeared in Carbon police court last Monday before Police Magistrate V.H. Hawkins.

Morrison was arrested after he allegedly failed to stand for the playing of "God Save the King" at the end of the day in the town hall, when he was making statements about the King when challenged by others attending the dance.

Const. F.A. Any said he repeated the statements when he arrived on the scene, although Morrison said he would not have made the statements if he had not been drinking. Police said he was not drunk. Calgary Alert.

WAR LOAN BONDS TO BE OFFERED IN TWO TERMS OF ISSUE

14 and 3½ Year Bonds Issued for New Loan

Canada's third Victory Loan, with a "minimum investment" of \$750,000,000 as its objective, will be offered in two maturities, Finance Minister Ildis announced Tuesday. The books will open October 19th and close on or about November 7, with or without notice, in the discretion of the minister. The bonds will bear interest from November 1st. These are the maturities, optional with the subscribers:

- A 14-year issue, maturing November 1, 1955, payable at maturity at 100, and bearing interest at 3 percent.
- A 3½ year issue, maturing May 1, 1949, payable at maturity at 100, and bearing interest at 1.75 percent.

The 14-year bonds will be callable at 100, payable at maturity, and will yield 3.00 percent if held to maturity. Interest on both issues will be payable half-yearly.

Principal and interest on both Victory Loan issues will be paid in Canada funds, the principal at any agency of the Bank of Canada, and the interest without charge, at any branch in Canada of any chartered bank.

The bonds may be paid for either in cash in full at the time of application at the issue price, without accrued interest, or they may be purchased by instalments plus accrued interest.

Installment payments will be as follows: 10 percent on application and 16 percent on the first day of each five months starting with December 1, 1942. The final payment on April 1, 1943 will be 16.67 on the installment basis and 16.67 on the short-term bonds. The final payment in cash will be 16.67 on the installment basis and 16.67 on the short-term bonds. The due dates of the respective instalments.

OLDS SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE OPENS OCTOBER 27

Olds school of Agriculture will open on October 27 instead of October 13, as first planned, said Hon. D. Bruce Macdonald, Minister of Agriculture. The postponement is due to the delay in starting operations and the need of farm labor. Increased attendance at the school is expected and additional accommodation is being provided.

the preparation of their overseas parcels. In order to avoid delay, Address all mails in INK, fully, clearly and without including abbreviations. Be sure to include return address on every envelope and a slip in the parcel bearing sender's address as well as address of recipient. Prepay all mail costs in advance. Use strong corrugated containers, not light cardboard boxes, wrap all several layers of bubble paper, wrapping paper, and tie securely with a strong cord.

The Mirror

CARBON, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1942

\$2.00 A YEAR; 5¢ A COPY



BRITISH SEAMAN WITH TOMMY GUN COVERS DESTROYER IN BOARDING PRACTICE—pulling up alongside a tanker, a British destroyer took the opportunity of trying the crew boarding practice. On the order, "away boarders" the British seaman, fully armed, leaped aboard the tanker while a comrade covered their advance with his tommy-gun.

BANK OFFICIALS VISIT CARBON

Mr. C.G. Dunning, Superintendent of the Bank of Montreal, Alberta Division, and Mr. A.M. Tracy, secretary to the Superintendent, paid a visit to the local branch of the Bank of Montreal last Friday. They were on an inspection trip of the various branches in the district.

LITTLE ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mrs. Walter Williamson received a wire Friday stating that her mother and passed away and she left immediately for Eastern Canada to attend the funeral.

Donnie and Gordon McLeod were Carbon visitors last Thursday and Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. A.J. Wright and son Blake left Monday for their home in Vernon, B.C., after spending a three-week holiday with relatives.

Mrs. G. Cadman and Mrs. W. H. Lewis were Calgary visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Fairbairn and Zola of Calgary spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. S.F. Torrance.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Green of Calgary spent the week end visiting with Mrs. Green's aunt, Mrs. M.J. Elliott.

Olga Kapanich of the CWAC, Calgary spent the week end at her home in Carbon.

Richard Appleyard of Calgary was out for Thanksgiving holiday, visiting with his father, Geo. Appleyard.

Mrs. W. Leitch and Kenny left Saturday for Powell River to join Mr. Leitch who is employed in the paper mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Oliphant and family of East Coolee spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Foxon and grand-children, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weir of Drumheller were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Rouleau.

Mrs. Perry Wheat came out from Calgary Saturday and returned to the city Monday.

Pete, Harry Dolphin spent the week end at the home of his parents in Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Downey and family of Carstairs were Carbon visitors Saturday evening.

Hugh Cameron of Drumheller spent the week end with relatives.

Mrs. Budinski and two sons of East Coolee spent the past week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Wright and Wray returned to Calgary Monday after spending a few days in town with Mr. and Mrs. S.N. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Nelson and family of Longview spent the Thanksgiving week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Atkinson.

Pete, Harold Edwards, who is with the petrol division of the army at Red Deer, spent a short leave last week in town with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Edwards.

—Don't forget the Rexall One-Cent Sale which is on at McKibbin's Drug Store on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Alex Ritchie of Proctor, B.C., arrived in Carbon Sunday and is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Jane Anderson.

THIRD VICTORY LOAN CAMPAIGN OPENS ON MON., OCTOBER 19

LOCAL COMMITTEES NAMED TO CONDUCT LOAN CAMPAIGN

Canada's Third Victory Loan, to raise \$750,000,000 for war purposes, opens on Monday, October 19th, and plans are now being completed in Carbon to conduct the campaign.

The district has been cut down this year, the Swanwell territory having been eliminated and put into a separate unit.

The following committees have been named to conduct the loan campaign: Unit Organizer: S.F. Torrance, Chairman, S.N. Wright, Vice-Chairman, John Atkinson, General Sales Section: C. H. Nash, J. Garrett, A. J. McLeod and S. N. Wright.

Public Relations: A. F. McKibbin, A. J. Boyd, J. H. Mackay, S. N. Wright, Administration: D.R. Mackay and S. N. Wright.

Each salesmen will be appointed to canvass the town and district for loan subscriptions, and it is hoped that they will meet with ready response. The people when they call. However, you are asked to make application to any member of the committee, or to the local bank, and not wait for the canvassers to call on you. Your money is urgently needed and there is no better investment today than Victory loan bonds.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Miss Isabel Goudie held a miscellaneous shower on Monday evening for Miss Marjorie McCracken.

Mr. and Mrs. W.P. Ross spent Sunday and Monday in the Eldorado and Cremona districts, and returned to Carbon Monday night.

Pheasant hunting opened south of Carbon on Monday, but there were as many hunters as pheasants and it is doubtful if they all get their bag limit of five cock pheasants.

MAY APPEAL AGAINST REDUCED GAS CATEGORY

Any car owners who are using their cars in business and receive notices to surrender their "A" coupon books for gasoline rationing and accept "AA" books may appeal to the regional office of the oil controller, according to information received by the Alberta Motor Association.

It is not the present intention of the oil controller to issue "A" book holders who are using their cars in business to surrender their oil books for the new category. Any who receive such notice may file an appeal. The "AA" category is for non-essential cars.

Notices were mailed to over 25,000 Alberta car owners to turn in their books and get the ration book turned in contains less than 16 coupons necessary for the six months period from October 1st to March 31st, then the new books will contain only the number of coupons that were in the old books.

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See Us For All Your Winter Requirements

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Phone: 31 S.J. Garrett, Prop. Carbon

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Strepney, one of London's most blitzed boroughs, has contributed nearly \$42,000 in pennies to the Red Cross.

An agreement between Britain and the United States for a wartime exchange of inventors was announced in a white paper.

Free Belgian sources in London say the latest of clandestine newspapers being published in Nazi-occupied Belgium is "The Churchill Gazette".

Gen. Charles de Gaulle, leader of the Fighting French, returned to London after two months absence during which he visited Syria and Africa.

A paper control order stipulates that both sides of notepaper for letters to Britain's government departments must be used or users may be prosecuted for waste.

Ivan Maisky, Russian ambassador to Great Britain, has been awarded the Order of Lenin on the 10th anniversary of his ambassadorship, it was announced.

Greek advices from the Mediterranean indicate that more than 3,000 people of Crete have been executed by the Nazis in Crete for alleged sabotage.

More than 100,000 laborers and craftsmen have been transferred in the last two months to construction of camps and airdromes for U.S. forces in Britain, Labor Minister Bevin disclosed.

Kiddie Jumper Style



By ANNE ADAMS
Anne Adams presents a brand new version of an old favorite—the jumper—in Pattern 4160. The skirt is in draped style; the top is gently scalloped. A contrast waistband and sash are optional. The dainty blouse has short or long sleeves.

Pattern 4160 is available in children's sizes 4, 6, 8 and 10. Size 6 jumper, takes 1½ yards 39 inch blouse, 5 yards 30 inch skirt.
Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this Anne Adams pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man.

MICKIE SAYS—

NOPE! NOPE!
SAINTA CLAUS AINT
RUNNING THIS HERE
NEWSPAPER, SO
WE GOTTA COLLECT
SUBSCRIPTION COIN
REGULAR AN' I DO
MEAN GOTTA!



Polish Aircrew Student



One of a group of overseas airman who passed through Winnipeg recently, this Polish aircrew student chats with Miss June Turner during the reception extended by Winnipeg Women's Air Force Auxiliary and the Wartime Pilots' and Observers' Association.

Helping With War Work

Convicts Behind Prison Bars in Britain Are Not Idle
Britain has fitted her convict population into her war effort to insure that every possible man-hour of work counts.

The Home Office couldn't give figures—its statisticians are tied up with more vital work—but it is evident the country has made good use of hands that otherwise would have been idle behind prison bars.

One of the most notable innovations was the summons of convicts to aid in gathering this year's record harvest.

The Home Office explained this was done only because the need for harvest hands was imperative and assured that these convicts worked "under very careful supervision indeed."

Industries behind prison walls swell the tide of war production in increasing degree. Under the direction of government departments, convict labor is turning out such vital necessities as boots, telephone and radio parts, gas masks, hammocks, haversacks and component parts of many different weapons.

In one prison, a particular gun part is being mass-produced.

In another prison, school courses in mechanics is fitting many men for new places in industry both while they are in prison and after they complete their terms.

Women as well as men prisoners are at work in war production. "We are always looking for opportunities to fit prison industry into war production," said a Home Office official. "No manpower is wasted."

The fifth Earl of Angus was nicknamed "Bell-the-cat."

LIFE'S LIKE THAT



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"It's a note to his lawyer... He says he got tired waiting for him to find a loophole in the law and decided HE'D TAKE IT."

REG'LAR FELLERS—War Of Movement



SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

OCTOBER 11

LOYALTY TO CHRIST

Golden text: What things were gain to me, those have I counted loss for Christ. Philippians 3:7.
Lesson: Mark 2:14-17; John 6:60; Philippians 3:7-11.
Devotional reading: Ephesians 4:11-16.

Explanations and Comments

Two Words that Changed a Life, Mark 2:14. The second chapter of Mark records a series of events that happened at Capernaum. In the city, sitting at the place of his teaching, Jesus became better known afterwards as Matthew, a publican, a tax-gatherer for the hated Roman ruler, despised by his own people because of his occupation. One day Jesus passed by and called Matthew to follow him. Probably the ill Matthew was collecting what was levied on the caravans which passed through Capernaum on their way to and from Egypt and Damascus. The Pharisees would place at Matthew no doubt saying to themselves, "publican and a sinner," but Jesus, knowing Matthew's thoughts and possibilities, said to him, "Follow me," and he was to be one of his close followers.

Perhaps, Matthew had seen and talked with Jesus before this. But we do not know, but now had come the opportunity. He had to decide between his old, well-tried life of fair promise and the new life of sacrifice. He arose and followed Jesus. He recognized the power of Jesus, and he yielded his life to his direction.

Mark 2:15. The scribes took issue with Jesus, and he replied to them. Mark gives consecutively in this second chapter: they accused him of blasphemy, he declared the sins of the paralytic forgiven, they criticized him for eating with publicans and sinners; they found fault with him because he ate and drank with the disciples and then they entered into a conspiracy with the Herodians to compass his death when he came to the Sabbath day.

On Mark 2:16, they criticized his eating with publicans and sinners. Matthew has given us a great feast for his new Master and fellow disciples (Lk. 5:29), and so many were the guests, both publicans and sinners, that the gathering must have been held in the courtyard of the house, as was often the case. When they were reclining at table, the scribes of the Pharisees walked in, as any wayfarer might in the East. They entered to look on, but they stayed to criticize. "How is it that he eateth and drinketh with publicans and sinners?" they said to the disciples. Publicans (tax-gatherers) were social outcasts; they were hated for their unscrupulousness, and especially because they were held to be in league with the enemy, and they were hated for their taxes for a foreign power.

Jesus heard the question and answered for the disciples: "They that are whole (that is, the self-righteous Pharisees) have no need of a physician, but they that are sick do. (Those you call publicans and sinners, need him). I came not to call the righteous, but sinners."

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SELECTED RECIPES

RICE KRISPIES TOFFEE CHEWS

1½ cups of cream
1 (3½) package of Kellogg's Rice Krispies

Melt toffee with cream in double-boiler. Pour over rice krispies in buttered bowl. Mix well. Press in shallow buttered pan. Cut in squares when cool.

APPLE MUFFINS

2 cups all-purpose flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 cup finely chopped apples
1 egg
½ cup Crown Brand Corn Syrup
½ cup milk
½ cup mazaola

Temperature: 400 degrees; 4 add apples. To well beaten egg add corn syrup, milk and mazaola. Add to flour mixture all at once; mix lightly. Oil muffin tin with mazaola and fill two-thirds full; bake in hot oven. Five minutes before taking from oven, brush well with melted butter. Serve hot with cream or sliced cold with butter. Yield 12 muffins.

WOULD BE SOME STONE

If the world diamond output for 1929 were combined into one large diamond, it would make a 5½-foot cube, with a weight of 1½ tons.

Night pasturing of farm horses during the heavy work season enables them to do more work than they otherwise could. 2484

RUSHES ALCAN



The "Alcan," for the benefit of the uninitiated, is the Alaska-Canadian highway, a vital defense link which connects the United States with Alaska. Mastermind is Brig-General W. H. Hoge, pictured above. He is officer commanding the U.S. forces building the road.

Indians Lose Market

Stump In Sale Of Seneca Root On Account Of The War
The seneca crop harvested by Alberta Indians is suffering a slump because of the war. Used in nearly every cough medicine, seneca root has its best field in central Alberta, where three tribes of Indians, the Stomies, Crees and Chipewyans, dig for it each year. Decades ago a strong medicine was brewed from the root by the Indians themselves, but now it is sold for the most part to buyers in town. In pre-war times Germany was a big customer for Canada's crop of seneca and China's order was a fairly large one. Today, some small orders are received from New York where Jewish druggists, escaped from Germany, have set up their businesses, but not nearly enough is being bought to absorb the large quantities of the root now in stock.

BOMBED TO HER CREDIT

A Russian woman fighter plane pilot, Lieut. Valerie Khomyakova, was credited by Tass with shooting down a German Junkers bomber at night over the front lines. "She violently attacked the enemy plane and disabled it with several gun and machine-gun bursts," the news agency said. "Trying to escape her fire, the enemy bomber steeply dived but Lieut. Khomyakova kept chasing it until the Fascist plane crashed into the ground."

The Suez canal was 13 years in construction.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson
AN ALASKA SEAL CAN SWIM FOR DAYS AND NOT GET WET. LONG PLAT GUARD LIES TIGHTLY OVER THE PUP AND KEEPS IT DRY AND WARM.

SEED PODS OF THE COMMON SNAP DRAGON RESEMBLE GOBLIN FACES!

IF A GIRL STANDS UP SHE'S LET DOWN HER REPUTATION.

GOBLIN FACES!

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Winter in Russia

In Half Of Country It Usually Lasts Six Months

Russia is acquainted with many varieties of winter temperature in her vast extent of territory passing through many latitudes. Yet half of the country has a six month winter. From the Arctic to 50 degrees North latitude where the ground is almost permanently frozen, winter continues for six to nine months, and even in summer the ground does not thaw to any depth. In the Crimea, where fighting was going on a year ago a writer of the 1850's told of finding men in sheepskin coats, marching over courses where the snow drifts had obliterated what were roads. He found one Zouzev frozen in the drifts, and the British soldiers wearing beads to protect their faces from the severe cold.

The coldest winter in the world is experienced at Verkhnyansk in latitude 67 degrees 30 minutes North. With no mountain chains to break the winds, they sweep across the Russian plains, to increase the bitterness.

George Kennan, the famous correspondent who travelled through Russia in the 1880's, tells of wandering with the Kozaks on the Siberian plains and sleeping under the Arctic stars at night with the thermometer 60 degrees below zero. He calls the winters in Siberia severe.

The rivers begin freezing in December near the coast of the Black Sea, while around the Caspian and the Aral on the Northern coast they begin in November. In Asiatic Russia the waterways begin to freeze in November in the South, and in September in the Taimyr peninsula and the region east of Yana Bay. Nor does that icy grip leave the land till April in the South, and until May or late June in the Northeast.

If winter comes early it may be hailed by the Russians, who have learned how to use it to the discomfort of their enemies.

HISTORY OF THE CARROT

Long before the Christian era, the merits of the carrot as a medicinal plant were recognized, and it is thought that the carrot was one of the first crops to be cultivated when the ancients gave up a nomadic life for agriculture. What is said to be the original plant is still to be found growing wild in most districts of Europe and western parts of Asia.

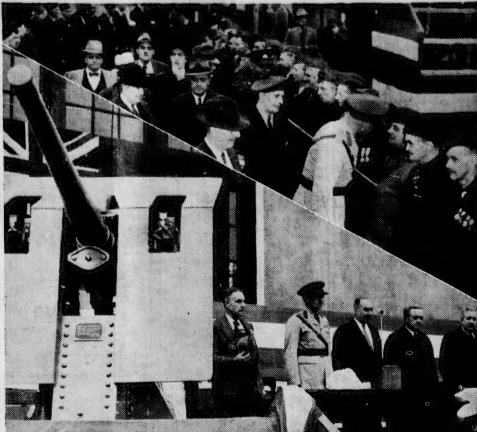
It took Leonardo Da Vinci about two years to paint the Last Supper.

Every Japanese word ends in either a vowel or the letter n.

BY GENE BYRNES



C.P.R. Shopmen Give Gun For Freedom



Canada's mounting share in the fight against the Axis was emphasized by Brigadier F. M. W. Harvey, V.C., Officer Commanding Military District 13, when on Saturday afternoon, May 22nd, he received the 100th naval gun produced at the Canadian Pacific Railway's Ogden Shops, Calgary, as a gift from the munitions workers there to the nation.

"Let us hope that it goes into action soon," he said, "on a Canadian ship, with Canadian gunners behind its sights."

Although rate of production at Ogden has not been revealed by authorities, the 100th piece of

war ordnance came off the assembly line there some time ago. Paying all shop costs and cost of material on this particular gun, the employees presented it to the country in a simple but impressive ceremony marking, as one of the speakers said, a fine spirit of national and industrial solidarity.

The gun itself is an all-purpose naval weapon, designed for use against submarines and surface craft, as well as sky riders, throwing a shell of approximately 12 pounds from its long barrel.

In receiving the gun from R. Alderman, representative of the shopmen, Brigadier Harvey rep-

resented Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Munitions and Supply for Canada. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company was represented by W. A. Mather, vice-president of Western lines, who officially received from the employees a cheque for shop costs on the gun, and by R. B. Brown, Chief of Motive Power, from Montreal. J. L. Gubbins, works manager, acted as chairman.

The Guard of Honor was made up of war veterans among the shopmen under Capt. McLennan. Pictures show Brigadier Harvey inspecting the Guard of Honor, the gun and a glimpse of the actual presentation ceremony.

LETTERS WRITTEN HOME

Probably no army in the history of the world ever wrote so many letters as the force which Canada has raised for the present conflict.

Free writing materials for the sailors, soldiers and airmen at home and abroad are supplied by such organizations as the Canadian Legion, Salva-

tion Army, Knights of Columbus and Y.M.C.A.

Some conception of the amount of letter writing done by Canada's Armed Forces may be obtained from the following figures released by only one of these organizations—the Y.M.C.A. Since the beginning of the war in 1939 a total of sixty-six million sheets

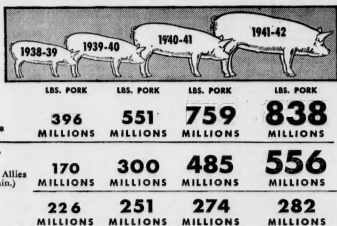
of writing paper has been given free of cost to the troops by the "Y". To visualize this quantity of paper is estimated that if piled sheet upon sheet it would form a column of paper sixteen thousand, five hundred feet in height, or more than half as high as Mount Everest, the world's highest mountain.

Canadian Farmers: you have done well!

WARTIME PRODUCTION IS STILL GROWING!

HOGS

During the last four years (Sept. 1 to Aug. 31) —



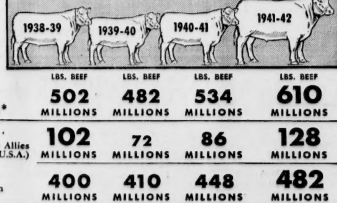
* Inspected slaughter. Does not include pork products used on farms or sold direct from farms to consumers, small butcher shops, etc.

** Including army camps, ship stores and general retail distribution.

The people of Britain want 20% more in the next twelve months than they obtained the last, and at the same time Canadians want more.

CATTLE

During the last four years (Sept. 1 to Aug. 31) —



* Inspected slaughter plus exports (dressed weight basis). Does not include beef sold on farms or sold direct from farms to consumers, small butcher shops, etc.

** Including army camps, ship stores, and general retail distribution.

The United States will take your surplus cattle and at the same time Canadian consumers want more.

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PROVINCIAL NEWS NOTES

GOVERNMENT AUCTION SALE

Sale of furniture in Government House will be held by public auction on October 21, 22 and 23, according to an announcement from the Provincial Department of Public Works. Auction will be by catalogue and will be handled by J.H. Reed, auctioneer of Edmonton. Keen interest is being taken in the sale which follows leaving the palatial residence to the North West Airlines for dormitory purposes for the duration of the war.

AIR CLASSES

About 200 students have signed up to take air force training at the University this year. This is nearly four times the figure expected. Candidates will be given the same rigorous R.C.A.F. examination as those joining on active service. Those who pass will be long to the air force reserve.

CANCER REDUCTION

A reduction in the percentage of cases diagnosed by Cancer is expected this year, Dr. G.H. Malcolmson, director for the Provincial Department of Health, told the annual convention of the Alberta Hospitals Association. Free clinical services introduced last year examined 1,142 cases, of which 50 per cent had cancer. Dr. Malcolmson said the improvement would be due to educational programs to make the people more cancer conscious. Alberta is the only part of this continent where free diagnosis, free X-ray and surgical treatment is provided.

GRADED POTATOES

All potatoes offered for sale must be graded according to the standards set by Dominion legislation, officials of the Provincial Department of Agriculture have announced. Through enforcement of grading regulations, it is possible to place a standard high quality potato on the market. Buyers from outside Alberta will make their purchases by grade and will know exactly what they can expect, it was pointed out.

POULTRY MARKETING

Alberta poultrymen are being asked to market dressed poultry during October and November. This was stressed at a meeting of the Alberta

Poultry Federation and officials of the Provincial Department of Agriculture. Mr. H.B. Donovan, Ottawa director of poultry production, said the plan was designed to prevent a shortage of poultry meat.

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Canada's Short Wave Station To Cover The World

Ottawa.—The plain, unvarnished truth in the form of news will be the strong right arm of Canada's propaganda service when her new short wave station to carry her voice to the far corners of the world is opened in about a year's time, it was learned here.

Two veterans of Canadian broadcasting, men who have watched the development of radio services in the Dominion and compared them with those of other nations, will be guiding forces in construction and the work of the station which will rise at Saskville, N.B.

Following announcement by War Services Minister Thomson that the station would be built at a cost of \$800,000, it was learned that technical matters concerned with construction and operation would be the responsibility of Dr. Augustin Prignon, assistant general manager of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

An announcement dealing with the duties of CBC officials said that Gladstone Murray, now general manager and who will be director-general of broadcasting after Nov. 2, will be required, among other duties, to "pay special attention to the programs of the high-powered short wave stations and to the arrangements for their widest distribution."

Programs will be developed in consultation with the foreign affairs department, which means that Norman Robertson, under-secretary of state for this department, will have an important part in decisions to be made.

Services of writers and others within the wartime information board organization, headed by Charles Vining, are expected to be available for short-wave broadcasting information. The board recently took over the public information bureau.

Officials recalled that the short wave station has been supported by CBC officials for several years.

In a report to Mr. Thomson late last year, Dr. Prignon said the cost of supplying programs to short-wave stations with international coverage was difficult to estimate as they depend on the policy followed and what it was hoped to accomplish.

"It may be expected, however, that the service will be largely built around a framework of news both international and domestic," Dr. Prignon said.

"This means that news broadcasting rights will have to be secured. It was understood that this view still is supported by government authorities who have learned of the effectiveness of the concise, truthful news broadcasts sent throughout the world by the British Broadcasting Corporation.

The short-wave station will have two 50-kilowatt transmitters with three directional antennas, and it is believed this set-up would be sufficient to cover most of the world. One could be directed to the United Kingdom and Europe, another to South America and the West Indies and the third to the northwest territories, Japan and China.

There will be careful timing so that broadcasts in the appropriate languages will be directed to various countries at the hours when the listening audience is likely to be at its best.

In directing broadcasts with a particular message to various countries, Canada will be able to draw on scholars, soldiers, scientists and statesmen from countries now overrun by the enemy and who have made their homes in Canada. It was understood that volunteers prepared to participate in such programs have already made their appearance. Even enemy countries may expect to hear from Canada the voice of men known as leaders in their home lands before the war.

Officials said that while an admitted purpose of the station was self-defence and counter-attack against the flow of German and Italian short-wave propaganda directed at Canada, it might be that the use of Canadian resources to "jam" enemy broadcasts would never be required.

VICTORY PRODUCE

Plan For Farmers To Share In The Victory Loan
Ottawa.—The national war finance committee, preparing for the third Victory Loan campaign opening Oct. 15, devised a "produce for victory" plan under which Canadian farmers will be able, through a pledge, to divert to the loan part of the proceeds from farm products when such products are sold.

"Under the new plan, farmers will be able to take up their share in the loan without jeopardizing their working capital or the reserves necessary to enable them to meet emergencies," the war finance committee said in a statement.

The regular Victory Bonds sales organization will obtain signed victory tickets from the farmers, authorizing any buyer to whom he may sell his farm produce to deduct a percentage of the sales price of that produce and forward it to the national war finance committee's provincial headquarters.

The farmer will receive from the national war finance committee the national value in Victory Loan bonds.

The plan is open to every member of the farming family. The boy can promise a share in his club calves or pigs; the daughter a portion of her poultry, rock or garden. Whether, on his poultry, egg or cream cheque, can be redeemed as these products are ready for market.

Aliens Serving In Canada's Armed Forces

Ottawa.—Aliens serving in Canada's forces overseas in future may become Canadian citizens at the discretion of the secretary of state without waiting the required five years, an external affairs spokesman announced at a press conference.

An order-in-council has been passed under the War Measures Act relaxing the naturalization laws for the benefit of aliens who enlisted in Canada's armed forces and have gone overseas. It will not apply to aliens who are serving in Canada.

Under the Naturalization Act, no person can obtain naturalization until they have lived in Canada five years. They have to apply to the courts and a judge passes on their eligibility, after which the secretary of state has discretion as to whether he will permit them to become citizens of this country.

The new order-in-council will provide a short cut. Aliens in the overseas forces will apply to the secretary of state for naturalization papers and the ministry may grant their request if he sees fit—regardless of how long they have lived in this country.

The step is an appreciation to the aliens who have joined Canada's fighting forces. Officials said, however, that the machinery for granting this privilege has yet to be set up, so the aliens must wait a few weeks at least before their applications can be handled.

Cuttack, India.—Twenty-five persons were killed when police fired on a mob attempting to raid a police station at Erum.

HITLER'S SPEECH

Tries To Make German People Think That All Is Satisfactory
London.—British sources said Hitler's speech was an apparent effort to assure both his troops and people that every phase of the war is satisfactory.

Britain noted with interest that the loudest cheering greeted Hitler's promise of the hour to come when the German air force would retaliate for the R.A.F. bombings of Germany.

They declared this was an unmistakable tribute to the efficacy of large-scale attacks on German cities. Significantly, the speech was in the assertion of Goebbels that "America hates Nazi Germany from the bottom of her heart" and that whatever reserve strength the United States possessed "must soon run out."

Such a statement, hardly would have been necessary, these sources declared, unless the forthcoming role of the United States in shifting the balance of power to the Allies had made a considerable impression on German morale.

Qualified quarters were impressed by the fact Hitler avoided the once-familiar forecasts of the early and complete destruction of the Russian armies and instead was content to tell the people this year's military objectives had been achieved and occupied territories in eastern Europe would be in positions to pour food and other materials into their laps.

GESTAPO OFFICIAL KILLED

London.—A Reuters despatch dated "From the German frontier," said that Alois Gruber, high ranking Gestapo official, was reported from Prague to have been killed there while "fighting the enemies of the Reich in the protectorate."

London.—Six overall clad women were working in the Canadian National Railway car shops. Plant officials said they had been unable to get men to fill the jobs. The women have taken over light work in the shops.

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WON HIS FIGHT



Commander of H.M.C.S. Assiniboine in close range battle with a German submarine, ended when the warship rammed and sank the U-boat, was Lieut.-Com. J.H. Stubbs of Kato, B.C., shown here.

WAR CONTRACTS

Placing Of Contracts On Prairies Has Improved

Edmonton.—Placing of federal contracts in the prairie provinces has improved in the past two months, G.E. Canadian of Winnipeg, secretary of the prairie division of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, said in an interview here.

Mr. Carpenter said he had been keeping in close touch with Ottawa and could say that the department of munitions and supply was doing its best to send war orders to the west.

WHEAT IN STORAGE

Ottawa.—Canadian wheat in store for the week ended Sept. 24 totalled 406,912,145 bushels compared with 408,318 bushels Sept. 17 and 474,228,341 bushels Sept. 24, 1941, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported.

Labrador is the point on the mainland of North America which is nearest to Europe.

Canterbury Meets The Royal Navy



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FERRY POOL

Celebrates Third Anniversary With Amazing Record
London.—Air Transport Auxiliary, the vast pool of civilian air and women who ferry aircraft from factory to airfield half-way around the world, celebrated its third anniversary with a record of more than 100,000 planes delivered and 225,000 hours flown, equivalent to 30,000,000 miles.

The A.T.A. unofficially designated as "Amusing" and "hardy," has delivered aircraft to and from North America, Africa, the Middle East and Malta. About 117 types of machines have been handled by the organization, from the smallest trainer to the greatest bomber. A quarter of the pilots are qualified by fly them all.

Women pilots from a tenth of the total and many are capable of flying fighters and twin-motors.

Almost 100 of the company, including some women, have lost their lives.

The total of 100,000 in the course of three years represents an average of more than 100 aircraft for every working day. At that reckoning the daily traffic of A.T.A. has been the equivalent of a busy channel waterway. During the critical times in France, the day's work of certain ferry pilots involved much danger, for they were delivering machines in the front line and some of them got out of the air-dromes only just in time to avoid capture.

One-Third Of Convoy Work By Canadian Navy

Ottawa.—Ships of the Royal Canadian Navy this summer, have sunk four enemy U-boats, probably sunk two others, and taken part in "many other promising attacks," Navy Minister Macdonald told a press conference.

The four submarines known to have been sunk include the one destroyed by the Canadian destroyer Assiniboine in a spectacular action described a little over a week ago in a lengthy press release from naval headquarters.

"The minister also said: The Royal Canadian Navy now has a strength of nearly 500 ships and about 48,000 men, including 1,100 officers and men serving with the Royal Navy."

The recent sinkings by enemy action of the patrol vessel Raccoon and the corvette Charlotte were occurred in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

There has been no confirmation of rumors that submarine parties have made a landing anywhere on the Canadian coast.

One-third of the convoy work between Canada and Europe is being borne by the Royal Canadian Navy.

"This summer the Royal Canadian Navy has sunk four U-boats, two are probably sunk and there have been many other promising attacks," said Mr. Macdonald.

He gave no details of the sinkings except to say that they include the exploit of the destroyer Assiniboine in sinking a submarine and capturing survivors of its crew.

Ordinarily the navy does not announce sinkings of enemy vessels until three months after the incident occurs in order to keep information from the enemy, he said.

Every Canadian Must Be Used For War Effort

Seignior Club, Que.—Warning of increasing "inconvenience," "dislocation" and "hardship," Edgar, director of national selective service, said in an address that "from now on the Canadian must fit himself into a national plan of action . . . which envisages only fighters and producers."

"There has been an incalculable waste of manpower in this country through needless labor turnover," he said in an address prepared for delivery to the annual convention of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce.

"There has been an excessive amount of absenteeism on the part of many workers," he added, outlining means by which these problems would be overcome, "through failure on their part to realize what effect their absence from work may have on the outcome of this war."

National selective service was the machinery through which Canada proposed to organize all the people in the country for one purpose, that of total war, Mr. Little said, and "total war means that all the people—not just a few—must be pitted against capture."

Stressing "the growing acuteness of Canada's manpower situation," he estimated Canadian industry could "usefully absorb at this moment" an additional 100,000 workers. National selective service offices throughout the country had received applications for that many workers which they were unable to provide.

The national selective service director later stated Canada's manpower needs in particular industries.

At Sudbury, Ont., he said, a blast furnace had been closed because of lack of men.

The coal mining industry was producing less coal than Canada is using and considerably less than the expected demand. "We are actually living on our coal storage reserves," Mr. Little warned.

Production of plane skins in B.C. was "undermined by the requirements" due to lack of men.

The base metal mines, producing copper vital to the war effort, are undermined with tonnage in some instances down to half of what it was two years ago.

Steel plants in the Niagara peninsula of Ontario are below potential production due to shortage of men.

Finally, the farmers, producing the food without which neither our armed forces nor our munitions workers could continue, are doggedly trying to maintain and expand production—with far less than adequate help."

The conditions could not be permitted to continue as long as Canada had hundreds of thousands of people engaged in jobs or industries which have little or no relation to the outcome of the war.

Thus curtailment of less essential industries was necessary. The two other methods of solving the problem were being employed—the introduction of women into war work and increased efficiency on the part of present essential industries.

"More and more people will be inconvenienced through the dislocation occasioned by this war. There will be some hardship. Some will be hurt more than others. There cannot be equal sacrifice or hardship in wartime," Mr. Little said.

REPORT OF MASSACRE

Claim 25,000 Russians Were Slain In Odessa

Moscow.—The Radio said a letter received in Moscow reported that Rumanian troops had massacred 25,000 Russians in Odessa, Axis-occupied Black Sea port.

The victims were declared locked in barracks and blown up. The radio said the troops then poured oil on the wreckage and burned the bodies.

REQUESTS FOR EXTRA SUGAR

Ottawa.—Canadians who need extra sugar in their diet for reasons of health will no longer have to present a doctor's certificate to get it. "The wartime prices and trade board ruled requests for extra sugar for health needs, including babies' diets, will be left to the discretion of ration officers."

SHIP EVERY THREE DAYS

Ottawa.—Canada now is launching merchant ships at the rate of one every three days, munitions and supply officials said. This week the 51st of the 160th ship was being produced in Canada was completed and only one of them was completed in 1941.

In a stirring sea action fought in an unoccupied area the Canadian destroyer H.M.C.S. Assiniboine rammed and sank a German U-boat after a gun battle at close range. Only one man of the Assiniboine's crew was lost and the Canadian warship made prisoners of most of the submarine crew. The sturdy Canuck warship is shown at left, and at right, German prisoners from the sunken submarine are shown climbing a rope ladder to safety and imprisonment on the destroyer.

ing has received another medal, this time a Tokyo decoration called the Grand Order of the Rising Sun, the BBC said. The gift is from the emperor of Japan, to mark the second anniversary of the tripartite pact. The broadcast, heard in New York by CBS.

